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Dear Ms. Dortch: TIA

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On December 3, 2009 the Land Mobile Communications Council Board of Directors including Al Ittner, President; Ralph Haller, Vice-President; Donald Vasek, Secretary-Treasurer; and Directors-at-Large Robert Gurss, Thomas Keller and William Brownlow attended a meeting with Office of Engineering and Technology Chief Julius Knapp and OET staff Jamison Prime and Walter Johnston, Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau Chief Jamie Barnett and Deputy Bureau Chief David Furth, and Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Mobility Division Chief Roger Noel and Deputy Chief Scot Stone.

The purpose of the meeting was to reinforce LMCC's positions of record in a number of areas. In the matter of LMCC's prior requests for clarification via Public Notice in the mandatory narrowband migration proceeding(WT Docket No. 99-87), LMCC stressed the importance of advising the public how the Commission will deal with non-compliant licensees after the January 2013 migration deadline, and getting

FCC confirmation of TIA's understanding of narrowbanding compliance. Regarding the amendment of Part 90 of the Commission's Rules (WP Docket No. 07-100) LMCC noted that frequency advisory committees are currently working under interim procedures during the pendency of this proceeding and requested Commission support for those procedures. In the matter of the NPSTC Petition to amend the shared TV-band rules (RM-11527) LMCC stated that current interference standards for land mobile stations are no longer adequate due to the introduction of digital television. Testing is currently under way to determine preferred protection criteria and LMCC hopes to present it to the FCC by the end of the first quarter in 2010. LMCC also noted the need for the Commission to act on the LMCC Petition for Stay of digital low power TV applications (DA 09-1487), and that these studies could further impact pending applications for DLPTV stations. Lastly, LMCC advised that it would be developing recommended 800 MHz frequency coordination standards in relation to EWA's Petition to create new interstitial channels in the 800 MHz band (RM-11572), and will present them to the Commission when completed.

This letter is being filed electronically, in accordance with Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b), for inclusion in the record in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

Donald J. Vasek

Secretary-Treasurer